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Education: Columbia 1967 BA; Yale 1971 JD
Began Service: April 25, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Affiliation: Instructor, Law School, Yale University

Academic: Instructor, Boston University (1972-1976); Instructor, Boston University (1987-1990); Instructor, Boston University (1994-1995); Instructor, Boston College (1994-1998); Instructor, School of Law, Northeastern University (2001)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Luther M. Swygert, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1971-1972)

Legal Practice: Associate, Zalkind & Silverglate (1972-1973); Partner, Silverglate, Shapiro & Gertner (and predecessor firms) (1973-1989); Private Practice (1989-1990); Partner, Dwyer, Collora and Gertner (1990-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association/Central and East European Law Initiative; American College of Trial Lawyers; American Law Institute; Massachusetts Bar Association

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District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Harvard 1969 AB; Oxford (UK) 1971 BA; Yale 1975 JD
Began Service: 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Yale Law School (1989-1991); Teacher, Kenya Institute of Administration (1967-1968)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Joseph L. Tauro, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1975-1976)

Corporate: Reporter, Minneapolis Tribune (1969); Reporter, Minneapolis Tribune (1971)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court (1984-1994)

Chambers of District Judge Michael A. Ponsor *continued*

Legal Practice: Associate, Homans, Hamilton & Dahmen (1976-1978); Partner, Brown, Hart & Ponsor (1978-1983)

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District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Boston Col 1969 AB; Harvard 1972 JD
Began Service: July 10, 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Associate Justice, Boston Municipal Court (1982-1990); Associate Justice, Superior Court of Massachusetts (1990-1995)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hale and Dorr (1972-1977); Junior Partner, Hale and Dorr (1978-1982)

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F. Dennis Saylor IV
District Judge

Date of Birth: July 3, 1955
Education: Northwestern 1977 BSJ; Harvard 1981 JD
Began Service: June 16, 2004
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Attorney's Office (1987-1990); Special Counsel/Chief of Staff to the Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1990-1993)

Legal Practice: Associate, Goodwin Procter, L.L.P (1981-1987); Partner, Goodwin Procter, L.L.P. (1993-2004)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Boston Bar Association; Worcester Bar Association

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Walter Jay Skinner
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1927
Education: Harvard 1948 AB, 1952 JD
Began Service: January 7, 1974
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Plymouth County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1957-1963); Town Counsel, Town of Scituate (1957-1963); Assistant Attorney General and Chief of the Criminal Division, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Depart, Department of Justice (1963-1965)

Legal Practice: Associate, Gaston, Snow, Rice & Boyd (1952-1957); Private Practice (1957-1963); Partner, Wardwell, Allen, McLaughlin & Skinner (1965-1974)

Current Memberships: Boston Bar Association

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Edward F. Harrington
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1933
Education: Col Holy Cross 1955 AB; Boston Col 1960 JD
Began Service: February 22, 1988
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Paul C. Reardon, Massachusetts Superior Court (1960-1961)

Government: Special Trial Attorney, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1961-1965); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Department of Justice (1965-1969); Attorney-in-Charge, Strike Force Against Organized Crime, Department of Justice (1970-1973); Chairman, Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (1975-1977); United States Attorney, District of Massachusetts, Department of Justice (1977-1981)

Legal Practice: Associate, Offices of Paul T. Smith (1961); Associate, Offices of Melvin Louison, Taunton Green (1969); Partner, Peloquin, McKeon & Reilly (1973-1975); Partner, Gargan, Harrington & Markham (1975-1977); Partner, Sheridan, Garrahan & Lander (1981-1988)

Military Service: United States Navy (1955-1957); United States Naval Reserve (1957-1972)

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Morris E. Lasker
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1917
Education: Harvard 1938 AB; Yale 1941 LLB
Began Service: June 1968
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson

Government: Staff Attorney, Committee Investigating National Defense Programs, United States Senate (1941-1942); Town Attorney (1955-1957)

Judicial: Justice of the Peace (1957-1958)

Legal Practice: Battle, Fowler, Jaffin, Pierce, & Kheel (1946-1968)

Military Service: United States Army (1942-1946)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Association of the Bar of the City of New York; New York State Bar

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Robert E. Keeton
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1919
Education: Texas 1940 BBA, 1941 LLB; Harvard 1956 SJD
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Academic: Associate Professor, Southern Methodist University (1951-1953); Teaching Fellow, Assistant Professor then Professor, Harvard Law School (1953-1979)

Legal Practice: Associate, Baker & Botts (1941-1942)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1942-1945)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Law Institute; Massachusetts Bar Association; State Bar of Texas

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